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LETTER FROM U S NAVY REGARDING TRANSMITTAL OF WORK PLAN FOR REMOVAL
OF SILVER CONTAMINATED SOIL AT SITE 5 NSWC INDIAN HEAD MD
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Ser 0952/785
9 Dec 92

Mr. Milton Marder
Maryland Department of the Environment
CERCLA Response Division
2500 Broening Highway
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Dear Mr. Marder,

We are forwarding you a copy of the work plan, enclosure (1), for the removal of silver contamination at former Installation Restoration (IR) Site 5. The silver contamination was from radiographic operations located in Building 731. The work plan is based on the plans and specifications that we forwarded to you on March 24, 1992.

We originally requested your concurrence to clean the two swales that received the discharge from Building 731 in our letter of December 20, 1991, enclosure (2). You approved our general approach with several comments in your letter of January 10, 1992, enclosure (3).

The plans and specifications sent to you on March 24, 1992, addressed your comments, with the exception of the two ponds at the bottom of the Olson Road Landfill, IR Site 44. Since that area is a natural wetlands and is located downgradient of IR Site 44, we have decided to include further testing and any remedial actions at the ponds with IR Site 44.

Cleanup of the site began on December 2, 1992. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Shawn Jorgensen of my staff on (301) 743-6745/46.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Kenneth D. Morin", is written over a horizontal line.

KENNETH D. MORIN, P.E.
Director,
Environmental Division
By direction of
the Commander

Encl:

- (1) Remedial Work Plan
IR Site 5
- (2) IHDIVNAVSURFWARCEN ltr 5090
Ser 0965/812 of 20 Dec 91
- (3) MDE ltr of 10 Jan 92

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